

The Honorable Robert S. Lasnik

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE**

STATE OF WASHINGTON, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
STATE, et al.,

Defendants.

NO. 2:18-cv-01115-RSL

DECLARATION OF KRISTIN BENESKI  
IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF STATES'  
MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT

I, Kristin Beneski, declare as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18 and have personal knowledge of all the facts stated herein.

2. I am an Assistant Attorney General with the Washington State Attorney General's Office, which represents the State of Washington in this matter.

3. Attached hereto as Exhibits A–K are true and correct copies of excerpts of the Administrative Record (Dkt. # 116) and the Supplemental Filing of Materials (Dkt. # 158) (“Supplemental Record”), in which the portions cited in the Plaintiff States’ Motion for Summary Judgment have been highlighted.

